

Amendments to the Specification:

Please insert at page 1, line 9 and before line 10 the following new paragraph:

STATEMENT REGARDING FEDERALLY SPONSORED RESEARCH

Some aspects of the inventions described in this patent application were made in the performance of work under NASA Contract No. NAS1-03008 and may be subject to the provisions of Section 305 of the National Aeronautics and Space Act of 1958 (42 U.S.C. 2457).